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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 461

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 461 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Emergency Telephone System Act is amended
5 by changing Section 15.4a as follows:

6 (50 ILCS 750/15.4a)

7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on July 1, 2017)

8 Sec. 15.4a. Consolidation.

9 (a) By July 1, 2017, and except as otherwise provided in
10 this Section, Emergency Telephone System Boards, Joint
11 Emergency Telephone System Boards, qualified governmental
12 entities, and PSAPs shall be consolidated as follows, subject
13 to subsections (b) and (c) of this Section:

14 (1) In any county with a population of at least 250,000
15 that has a single Emergency Telephone System Board, or
16 qualified governmental entity and more than 2 PSAPs, shall

1 reduce the number of PSAPs by at least 50% or to 2 PSAPs,
2 whichever is greater. Nothing in this paragraph shall
3 preclude consolidation resulting in one PSAP in the county.

4 (2) In any county with a population of at least 250,000
5 that has more than one Emergency Telephone System Board,
6 Joint Emergency Telephone System Board, or qualified
7 governmental entity, any 9-1-1 Authority serving a
8 population of less than 25,000 shall be consolidated such
9 that no 9-1-1 Authority in the county serves a population
10 of less than 25,000.

11 (3) In any county with a population of at least 250,000
12 but less than 1,000,000 that has more than one Emergency
13 Telephone System Board, Joint Emergency Telephone System
14 Board, or qualified governmental entity, each 9-1-1
15 Authority shall reduce the number of PSAPs by at least 50%
16 or to 2 PSAPs, whichever is greater. Nothing in this
17 paragraph shall preclude consolidation of a 9-1-1
18 Authority into a Joint Emergency Telephone System Board,
19 and nothing in this paragraph shall preclude consolidation
20 resulting in one PSAP in the county.

21 (4) In any county with a population of less than
22 250,000 that has a single Emergency Telephone System Board
23 or qualified governmental entity and more than 2 PSAPs, the
24 9-1-1 Authority shall reduce the number of PSAPs by at
25 least 50% or to 2 PSAPs, whichever is greater. Nothing in
26 this paragraph shall preclude consolidation resulting in

1 one PSAP in the county.

2 (5) In any county with a population of less than
3 250,000 that has more than one Emergency Telephone System
4 Board, Joint Emergency Telephone System Board, or
5 qualified governmental entity and more than 2 PSAPS, the
6 9-1-1 Authorities shall be consolidated into a single joint
7 board, and the number of PSAPs shall be reduced by at least
8 50% or to 2 PSAPs, whichever is greater. Nothing in this
9 paragraph shall preclude consolidation resulting in one
10 PSAP in the county.

11 (6) Any 9-1-1 Authority that does not have a PSAP
12 within its jurisdiction shall be consolidated through an
13 intergovernmental agreement with an existing 9-1-1
14 Authority that has a PSAP to create a Joint Emergency
15 Telephone Board.

16 (7) The corporate authorities of each county that has
17 no 9-1-1 service as of January 1, 2016 shall provide
18 enhanced 9-1-1 wireline and wireless enhanced 9-1-1
19 service for that county by either (i) entering into an
20 intergovernmental agreement with an existing Emergency
21 Telephone System Board to create a new Joint Emergency
22 Telephone System Board, or (ii) entering into an
23 intergovernmental agreement with the corporate authorities
24 that have created an existing Joint Emergency Telephone
25 System Board.

26 (a-5) A Joint Emergency Telephone System Board consisting

1 of 2 or more municipalities which has been consolidated for 2
2 or more years shall comply with the requirements of subsection
3 (a) of this Section on or before July 1, 2020.

4 (b) By July 1, 2016, except as otherwise provided in
5 subsection (b-5) of this Section, each county required to
6 consolidate pursuant to paragraph (7) of subsection (a) of this
7 Section and each 9-1-1 Authority required to consolidate
8 pursuant to paragraphs (1) through (6) of subsection (a) of
9 this Section shall file a plan for consolidation or a request
10 for a waiver pursuant to subsection (c) of this Section with
11 the Division of 9-1-1. Within 60 calendar days of receiving a
12 consolidation plan, the Statewide 9-1-1 Advisory Board shall
13 hold at least one public hearing on the plan and provide a
14 recommendation to the Administrator. Notice of the hearing
15 shall be provided to the respective entity to which the plan
16 applies. Within 90 calendar days of receiving a consolidation
17 plan, the Administrator shall approve the plan, approve the
18 plan as modified, or grant a waiver pursuant to subsection (c)
19 of this Section. In making his or her decision, the
20 Administrator shall consider any recommendation from the
21 Statewide 9-1-1 Advisory Board regarding the plan. If the
22 Administrator does not follow the recommendation of the Board,
23 the Administrator shall provide a written explanation for the
24 deviation in his or her decision. The deadlines provided in
25 this subsection may be extended upon agreement between the
26 Administrator and entity which submitted the plan.

1 (b-5) A Joint Emergency Telephone System Board consisting
2 of 2 or more municipalities which has been consolidated for 2
3 or more years shall comply with the requirements of subsection
4 (b) of this Section on or before July 1, 2019.

5 (c) A waiver from a consolidation required under subsection
6 (a) of this Section may be granted if the Administrator finds
7 that the consolidation will result in a substantial threat to
8 public safety, is economically unreasonable, or is technically
9 infeasible.

10 (d) Any decision of the Administrator under this Section
11 shall be deemed a final administrative decision and shall be
12 subject to judicial review under the Administrative Review Law.
13 (Source: P.A. 99-6, eff. 1-1-16.)

14 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
15 becoming law.".